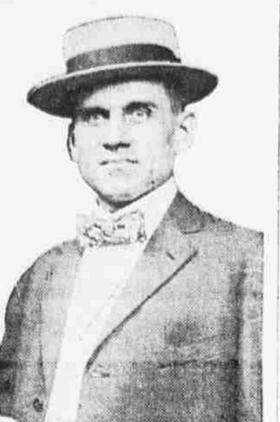


DETECTIVE'S PISTOL ENDS ROMANCE OF BURGLAR-INVENTOR

Master of the 'Jimmy,' Brace and Bit Woos Girl on Earnings From His Burglaries.



JOHN S. EDWARDS

Burglar, inventor and pleasing gentleman, when not forcing safes, faces a long term in the Eastern Penitentiary.

In the rough and ready language used by the police, police court attorneys, mission workers and those who associate with the men and women who are rather undesirable citizens, John S. Edwards, who was held without bail by Magistrate Tracy at the Eleventh and Winter streets police station today, had another fall.

The underworld considers a fall as something that business men would styte a failure.

Edwards today admitted that Edwards was only an assumed name, but that he had used it for the better part of his life.

His real name, he stated, was J. F. V. Satek and he said that for the most of the time since his release from the Eastern Penitentiary he lived at 1943 North Twelfth street.

At the close of the hearing Lieutenant Emley read a letter from George D. Porter, Director of Public Safety, commending Winnie and Kent, policemen, for causing the arrest of Edwards.

Edwards was caught attempting to break into a saloon.

Edwards is an inventor. He has made more money with the "Jimmy" and the brace and bit than with his burglaries and safe robbing jobs, never boasted of them but preferred to talk about his inventions.

Edwards was released several months ago from the Eastern Penitentiary, after serving a sentence for burglary.

He was never a model prisoner, but notwithstanding he was in the friendship of Robert J. McKenty, warden of the prison.

In 1908, while serving a term in the Eastern Penitentiary for robbery, Edwards, with Charles Berger, scaled the walls. In the jump from a 20-foot scale way, Edwards received a broken leg. Guards who had seen the escape came upon him while they were searching the sewer beds outside the prison wall by forcing the foliage back with the barrels of shotguns.

Edwards smiled when a guard pushed a gun against his chest and said, "I'm it, but you haven't got my pistol."

Berger was captured in Chester, when, famished, he went to the home of a relative to beg food.

Since his last release from prison Edwards is said to have had a number of affairs and also to have cherished a hatred to autokeepers.

As far as the police know he has robbed a young woman who lived in the 290 block of North Tenth street is also said to have interested Edwards. He confidentially told friends that he expected to marry the young woman. She has left the home of her mother since Edwards' arrest, and the mother says that there was but little between Edwards and her daughter.

Edwards left prison last winter and went to the young woman's home to board. He spent nearly every night out, but always explained his absence in some plausible manner. The police say that every night he was away from home he was using his "Jimmy" and cold chisel forcing open windows, cash drawers and safes.

All the time Edwards was planning for the marriage with his landlady's daughter, it is also said.

It did not tell the girl that he was a "fall" but she was a good one, for he always had money, spent with a smile, and knew where to get more money when a sister was evicted.

Then came the fall. The Detective Bureau, when Edwards was released, detailed a man to keep an eye on him. The man was able to tell how much Edwards' supper bill was, what he spent for other things, and all the other minor details of life, but could not tell how Edwards spent his pocketbook filled and that was the main thing for "Bob" Cameron, chief of the Bureau.

Edwards shook off his detective shadow one night last week, drew his Jimmy and started to work on the front door of Wilkinson's saloon, Ninth and Filbert streets. Edwards was keeping his eyes open for smooth and plausible central station detectives. One, whom he called "harmless bull," swimming a club, slipped up behind John and placed against his head the barrel of a revolver.

"Well, I guess you got me," said Edwards, as he handed over his "Jimmy." "Thanks for the bouquet," replied the cop, who is Kent, of the Eleventh and Winter streets police station.

HITCH DELAYS PLAN TO TRANSFER SEGAL TO INSANE ASYLUM

Financier Remains in His Room at St. Joseph's Hospital Unaware of Purpose to Send Him to Norristown.

A hitch in the plan to take Adolph Segal to the State Hospital for the Insane at Norristown became evident this afternoon. Segal is still in his private room at the hospital. Officials there say he will not be taken away from the hospital today, and that they do not know when the departure will be made.

At the Norristown institution the chief resident physician, Dr. Miller, said that he did not know when Mr. Segal would arrive.

Mr. Segal is still in ignorance of the plans to confine him in the State Hospital. Two signatures of trustees to the commitment papers are all that remain to be secured to make legal the transfer of the one-time wizard of finance.

Jacob Lifman, from the law offices of Tustin & Chapman, at 143 Chestnut street, started out today to obtain these signatures, and Mr. Segal was to have been taken to Norristown this afternoon. He will be told when he leaves the hospital that he is to have an automobile ride.

Mrs. Segal said today in her apartment at the Malleable Hotel that she does not expect to accompany her husband to Norristown.

"I do not expect to make the trip," she said. "It would be too much for me. I fear Mr. Segal left here this morning to see his father at the hospital, and then to go to the lawyer's office to arrange for taking him to Norristown."

Herl Segal, his son, spent some time with Adolph Segal at St. Joseph's Hospital this morning. Physicians at the institution said that there had been little change in the financier's condition today. Last night he had a short lucid interval, but this did not continue for any length of time.

A bond of \$500 required by the State for patients admitted to the Norristown hospital will be filed today by Herl Segal. All other arrangements for the transfer of Segal have been made.

Dr. William H. Bunn, of 528 North Twenty-second street, the Segal family physician, suffered a slight stroke of apoplexy this morning that affected his vision and he will not be able to accompany his patient to Norristown. Dr. Bunn is about 70 years old. He has been Mr. Segal's physician for more than 15 years. He is one of the two physicians who officially certified to Mr. Segal's insanity, as required by law.

P. R. R. CONDUCTOR IS HELD FOR SELLING OLD TICKETS

Old Employee and Local Bartender Charged With Crime.

Two men were held in jail for court today by Magistrate Morris, 2308 Ridge avenue, on the charge of selling tickets between Philadelphia and New York that had been collected by one of them, a conductor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The men are Robert Kitchener, of Trenton, the conductor, and A. P. Sammons, bartender at Broad and Race streets, who lives at 405 Green street.

Kitchener is 42 years old, married, and Sammons is 36. The conductor had been in the employ of the railroad for about 20 years. He was held for a further hearing last Wednesday following an investigation by railroad detectives. Sammons is said to have disposed of the tickets secured by Kitchener.

ESCAPES BY SCALING WALL

Grieved by Separation From Sister, Man Forsakes Phila. Hospital.

Grief because he was separated from a sister at 421 Dittman street led Thomas Nice to scale the wall of the Philadelphia Hospital and journey to his sister's home. He will be sent back to the institution today.

Nice was arrested last night while attending a carnival of the Shepherds of Bethlehem, Tacony and Margareta streets. The clothing he wore enabled Special Patrolman Barrett, of the Philadelphia police station, to recognize him as an inmate at the hospital.

Nice said he and another man whom he knew came as Bill climbed over the wall surrounding the hospital grounds and went to Ninth and Market streets. Nice borrowed carriage from Bill and went to his sister's house.

TOOK BIG BELL FOR JUNK

Church Janitor Must Explain Its Sale To a Dealer.

Because he thought that a 400-pound church bell, belonging to the Church of the Redemption, at 5th and Market streets, was a nice present intended for him, Henry Brown, the colored janitor of the church, is held under \$500 bail to await further hearing by Magistrate Boyle, of the 9th street and Lancaster avenue police station.

Boyle was recently given permission to sell and keep the proceeds of all the junk which had accumulated in the building. He disposed of all the minor articles, and then, thinking that the bell was probably junk, too, sold it to Mike Goldstein, a junk dealer, 2th and Race streets, for \$1. The bell was missed on Tuesday last, and upon being questioned the janitor freely admitted that he was responsible for its disappearance.

Although the Rev. Albert Clay, rector of the church, says that he will not prosecute the man, Magistrate Boyle deems it advisable to hold both Brown and Goldstein under bail until further investigation can be made.

SAVES FROM DEATH

Fireman Becker Then Turns in Alarm For Fire.

Heroic action by Harry Becker, a fireman of the 5th and Pine streets station, saved three horses from burning today in a fire which destroyed a portion of the stable of Joseph Dunsell, Woodland avenue and 9th street. The loss was more than \$100.



RABBI B. L. LEVINTHAL

JEWISH NEW YEAR BEGINS TOMORROW AT THE SET OF SUN

Day of Rejoicing as Well as of Fervent Prayer for Welfare of Family and Friends.

Devout Jews throughout the world are preparing today for the Jewish New Year, or the Feast of Rosh Hashanah, which begins tomorrow at sundown and ends on sundown Monday.

This year, in addition to offering prayers for the safety of loved ones here, a fervent prayer will be offered for the safety of those who are in war-ridden Europe.

There will be happiness and sorrow in the messages borne to every Jewish household today on the New Year cards, and the postman is especially busy in the ghetto, will be anxiously awaited.

It is possible, too, that the conflict across the sea will figure largely in the messages. On account of the toll of war there are many hearts waiting with much foreboding for greetings which may never come.

It will not be necessary for the letter carrier to ring the bell or knock at the door of the homes in the ghetto. The anxious ones there have been waiting too long for the eve of the New Year. Those loved ones abroad who do not write all any other time never forget to send greetings today.

When the evening star makes its appearance in the heavens tomorrow, thus marking the beginning of the worship, those who did not receive the customary annual greeting will lift their eyes toward heaven and invoke the divine Providence to protect those who have sent their last messages.

The postoffice force is working overtime so that the mail may be distributed before the advent (according to the Jewish calendar) of the year 5675.

Tomorrow night at sundown, in accordance with the Jewish custom, the beloved Jewish grandfather or the oldest member of the family blesses the rest of the family before leaving for the synagogue. This custom is observed in every orthodox home throughout the world. At the synagogue all will kneel in prayer, giving thanks for gifts of the last year and asking divine blessing for the ensuing year.

The observance of the Jewish New Year as a holy season is commanded in two passages of the Five Books of Moses. In neither passage is there any specific command as to how the day is to be observed beyond the injunctions to blow the trumpet, to hold a holy convocation and to engage in no servile occupation. The day is the first of the seventh month, or the day of the new moon of that month.

The new moon was observed as holy season by the Jews of old; the seventh month was a particularly holy month, as the seventh day was the holy day of the week. The new moon of the seventh month was therefore invested with a significance of far higher import than the other new moon days of the year.

In the passing of the centuries this thus came to embody the great religious ideas of divine justice and human responsibility.

DEMANDS LAND HIM IN JAIL

Insists on Gift of Money and is Sentenced Instead.

Perkulent demands for money made by Frank O'Donnell, 524 Catalpa street, at the office of Magistrate Pennock, 3 East Chestnut avenue, Germantown, resulted in his arrest. He was sentenced today to 10 days in the county prison by the magistrate he had accused.

According to Constable Brady, who is attached to Magistrate Pennock's office, O'Donnell could not be persuaded to leave the place and became so insistent and belligerent in his requests that he was obliged to arrest him.

ACCUSED OF STEALING PURSE

Facing a charge of highway robbery, Alfred Bray, of Camden, N. J., was held without bail for the Criminal Court by Magistrate Boyle, of the 9th street and Lancaster avenue police station. It is alleged that Bray is the man who, on September 8, snatched a pocketbook from Mrs. J. L. Boney, of Narberth, as she was passing the corner of 8th street and Woodbine avenue.



POSTMAN HAS JUST DELIVERED GREETING CARDS TO THESE GIRLS



NEW YEAR CARD - BLESSING THE FAMILY ON EVE OF ROSH HASHANAH IMPRESSIVE SCENES MARK DAWNING OF THE JEWISH NEW YEAR

\$100 FUNERAL FOR PRINCE ALBERT; HE WAS A GOOD DOG

Pet of the Adams Sisters Will Be Buried in State. Many Floral Tributes for Him.



PRINCE ALBERT EDWARD

Only a dog with a shaggy coat and a loyal, faithful nature, Prince Albert Edward, who died last night, was a good dog.

Prince Albert Edward will be buried tonight in this city. His last resting place was not chosen in Philadelphia because of the present European complications, for the Prince was the pet Newfoundland dog of Miss Arabella Jay Adams, 511 Wayne avenue, Germantown.

This afternoon he is lying in a dainty and expensive coffin in the parlor of the Adams home. A silver plate bears the single word "Prince." Flanking around the casket are the choicest flowers obtainable. White and red roses and carnations, intermingled with ferns, palms and other plants combine to make the funeral settings complete.

The dog's funeral will cost more than \$100, and will be in charge of Undertaker William J. McGoldrick, 549 Germantown avenue.

Miss Adams and her sister Miss Martha Adams, will remain by the side of Prince's body until he is lowered into his last resting place under the red rose bush in the yard.

This spot was selected because it was the dog's favorite resting place. It was here that he sought shelter when it was too warm to crawl into his own little apartment in the yard.

Dr. William H. Nice did all in his power to save the pet, but as he was over 12 years old it is believed that his age hastened the end. Death was pronounced due to catarrh of the stomach.

All the children in the neighborhood knew Prince. Many of them called at the Adams home today with little floral offerings and consoled the dog's mistresses. The little white bed on which the dog lay during the last two weeks will be preserved, so also will the little toys and other souvenirs, which will keep the animal's memory green.

FIVE FEET FIVE, BUT MIGHTY WITH HIS FISTS

Giant Sharkey Has No Terror for McGee—Finally Subdued.

Although he bears the name of the great Sharkey, one time prince of prize fighters, Frank Sharkey, 30 years old, who is more than six feet in height, today is nursing a pair of black eyes as a result of a bout with James McGee, of 1652 Harlan street, last night. McGee is only five feet five inches in height, but this did not deter him from tackling Sharkey and d-fying two heavy policemen who were sent from the Nineteenth and Oxford streets station to stop the encounter.

When the two policemen, Halston and Flemming, arrived at the Harlan street address, the scene of the bout, McGee defied them to put him under arrest, saying that he could defeat any "cop" in a fair and square fight. Whereupon he proceeded to prove his contention on Halston. Wrestling the latter's club from him, McGee waved it defiantly over his head and dared the policemen to come on. The latter accepted the challenge and in a moment had the five-footer under arrest. Sharkey in the meanwhile was sent to the Jefferson Hospital, where his eyes were treated. This morning, Magistrate Morris remarked that Sharkey had already received sufficient punishment and sent McGee to the county prison for five days.

CLUE TO MAN'S IDENTITY

Asphasia Victim May Be John Wood, of 1814 Newkirk.

A man whom the police have in their care, who is suffering from aphasia and can remember nothing of his identity, may be John Wood, 65 years old, of 1814 Newkirk street. He disappeared last Wednesday.

Frederick Wood, who lives with his father, says that his father often wandered from home. He would sometimes become angry when he thought too much care was being exercised as to his coming and going from the house.

The elder Wood is 85 years old, weighs 145 pounds and is 5 feet 10 inches tall, with a big, auburn and a derby hat when he left home.

PLAYING WITH MATCHES

Child Now in Hospital in a Serious Condition.

As the result of being burned with matches, Martha Fraim, 2702 Federal street, 5 years old, is in a serious condition in the Polyclinic Hospital today.

Last evening the girl was playing with a box of matches in the dining room of her home, when the box ignited and set fire to her clothing. Mrs. Fraim, startled by the child's screams, found Martha enveloped in flames when she reached the dining room. She picked her up and ran into the street, where she was seen by Policeman Murphy, of the 29th and Federal streets station. Murphy ran into the house, got a table cloth, threw it around the child and smothered the flames. The policeman pressed a passing automobile into service and rushed the child to the hospital.

Pet Dog Bites Child

While playing with his pet dog this morning, George Cuguel, 5 years old, of 432 Elizabeth street, was bitten on the hand. The boy was sent to the Frankford Hospital where the wound, a slight one, was cauterized.

ROTAN WILL PROBE DEEPER INTO STRAW BAIL SCANDAL NOW

Magistrate "Joe" Call Must Tell Why He Permits Fishman to Use His Quarters.

Magistrate "Joe" Call will be summoned again by District Attorney Samuel P. Rotan to answer questions relating to a straw bail scandal originating in his office in Girard avenue near Twelfth street. This decision was reached by Mr. Rotan after "Jake" Gillman, the former constable now under indictment for extortion, had refused to make good threats that he would reveal the inside workings of Call's office.

In addition to being quizzed on the Friedman bail scandal, in which a charge of forgery has been made by Friedman, Magistrate Call will be asked why he permits Fishman to use his office.

At the time Gillman resigned as constable in Call's office, Fishman also was supposed to sever his connection there.

Fishman was convicted of extortion, but an out-of-town Judge who heard his case granted a new trial. The man is still doing business in Call's office and Mr. Rotan wants to know why.

Copies of the stenographic report of the testimony at the hearing before Judge Bonwell in the Criminal Branch of the Municipal Court, when the present straw bail investigation was started, have been received by the District Attorney.

The present probe was the result of a denial by Isaac Friedman, a tailor, of 1139 Girard avenue, a few doors from Call's office, that he had signed his name to a bail bond for Frank Bohrer, now a fugitive. Bohrer is under indictment on the charge of running a disorderly house. His case has been called six times and each time he has failed to appear. Friedman stamps the signature on the bail bond as a forgery of his name.

MOTHER VAINLY PERILS HER LIFE TO SAVE HER CHILD

In Hospital After Attempt to Extinguish Fire.

Elizabeth Wendt, 31 years old, of 3142 Richmond street, is in the Episcopal Hospital suffering with burns of the face and hands as a result of her attempt to save her child, Elizabeth, 4 years old, who was burned to death when her clothes caught fire while playing with matches yesterday.

The mother is not in a serious condition.

The child was also taken to the Episcopal Hospital, where its body now remains, awaiting removal to the Wendt home. Frank Wendt, father of the family, who is editor of a Polish newspaper, is broken down by the news of his child's death. Only two months ago the family lost a 2-weeks-old baby.

ASYLUM AND HOME SHARE EQUALLY IN ESTATE OF \$63,000

Funds Left to Local Institutions by the Will of Kate Worley—Other Wills Probated.

An estate of \$63,000 will ultimately be equally divided between the Blind Asylum, of Philadelphia, and the Home and Asylum for the Aged and Infirm of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, Germantown, under the provision of the will of Kate Worley, who died recently in the Episcopal Hospital.

The principal of the estate will be held in trust for the charitable institutions and the income will be divided as endowments.

At present all property of the decedent is devised to the Fidelity Trust Company, in trust, and annuities are to be paid various relatives and friends. At the death of the last annuitant the trust is to be continued with the income reverting to the charitable institutions.

Charles R. Koch, of the firm of P. B. Mengle & Co., who died recently at 1224 North 22d street, leaves his estate of \$5,000 to his widow, Caroline Koch, children and grandchildren. Of the Koch estate, \$3,000 is personal property. The principal of the estate will be held in trust for the charitable institutions and the income will be divided as endowments.

Other wills probated today are: Anna M. Newell, who died in the Women's Homeopathic Hospital, and whose effects, valued at \$7,000, are distributed in private bequests; Charles Wagner, 925 South Second street, \$340; Samuel J. Clawell, Ocean City, N. J., \$14,912; Peter M. Doyle, 4915 Aspen street, \$100.

Letters of administration were granted in the estate of Louis Zacharias, 6700 Vine street, \$350. The personal estate of Cecelia A. McGone has been appraised at \$600.

READING R. R. HEADS VIEW FIRST AID DRILL TODAY

Leave in Special Train to See Company Corps Work.

More than 50 officials of the three Reading companies left the Reading Terminal on a special train at 8 o'clock this morning to attend the tenth annual competitive first aid drill of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, being held at Lake Side Park, East Mahanoy Junction, Pa., today.

Each of the 55 collieries of the coal and iron company will be represented by a first-aid corps. Fellow workmen will act as subjects. The drill is under the leadership of Dr. G. B. Haberstadt, the company physician.

Included in the party who left on the special train were Edward T. Stotesbury, president of the Reading Company and head of Drexel & Co. and Charles C. Leach, president of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway; Agnes T. Dice, vice president and general manager of the Reading Railway; T. G. Brown, secretary of the coal and iron company; J. D. Landis, purchasing agent of the coal and iron company; R. J. Montgomery, general coal agent, and George C. Coughlin, city and southern sales agent. The party will return to the city this evening.

BROKEN NECK CAUSES DEATH

Woman's Fall Downstairs Results Fatally.

A broken neck caused by falling down stairs resulted in the death today of Mrs. Anna Marion, 60 years old, at her home at 1777 Christian street. The woman was on her way to bed when she lost her balance and fell backward from the second floor.

The accident happened a week ago, and for a time Dr. Charles Hawkins, of 1931 Federal street, who attended Mrs. Marion, thought that she would recover. Other complications, however, weakened her condition.

PLAYING WITH MATCHES BRINGS DEATH

Flaming Fire Causes Death of Florence Hunsberger, 7 Years Old, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hunsberger, who shortly before noon was burned to death in a neighbor's outbuilding, where, in company with several other children, she was playing.

THE WEATHER

Official Forecast for Eastern Pennsylvania, Sept. 19: For Eastern Pennsylvania, Sept. 19: Fair tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature; moderate variable winds.

Barometric pressure continues to overspread the eastern half of the country and the eastern Canadian provinces, the crest of the area being north of Lake Ontario this morning. Fair weather has prevailed under its influence in all northern districts, while showers have been quite general in the southern states.

The temperatures are generally seasonable in the Atlantic states and in the Lake region, while a moderate excess is reported from the Ohio valley. In the western half of the country the barometer is rising and rains have continued in the far northwest.

U. S. Weather Bureau Bulletin Observations made at 8 P. M., Eastern time

Table with columns: Station, S. m., N. m., W. m., V. m., W. m., Weather. Lists various weather conditions across different stations.

LOCAL FIRE RECORD

Time: 10:17 P. M.—Residence, 2510 E. 7th; Cause: Glass. 10:30 P. M.—Public Office, 4th and Market; Cause: Unknown. 10:30 P. M.—Public Office, 4th and Market; Cause: Unknown. 11:00 P. M.—Dwelling, 2216 S. Cause: Unknown. 11:30 P. M.—Fable alarm, Richmond st. Cause: Unknown. 2:40 A. M.—Heart of 2024 Market street; Cause: R. J. Maynes; 10:00 P. M.—Dwelling, 2216 S. Cause: Unknown.